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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2625

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: B.O. Dulaney
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	:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 09/964,787	)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 3430
Filed: September 28, 2001	)	
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For: PERIPHERAL EQUIPMENT AND	)	February 5, 2009
MANAGEMENT METHOD	:	
THEREOF	)	

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION AND  
STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 5, 2008, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: